



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **Naohiko ICHIMURA**

Group Art Unit: **2835**

Serial Number: **09/944,595**

Examiner: **Anatoly Vortman**

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For: **DISPLAY DEVICE WITH PIVOTABLE BASE**

Attorney Docket No.: **011120**

Customer No.: **38834**

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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April 16, 2004

Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application
as follows: